

THE GAZETTE.

THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 29.

British Immigration.

To the editor of the Norfolk Virginian, Sir: Having resided in Australia, New Zealand, New York, Minnesota, Nebraska, and other Western States, I have no hesitation in recommending this State as the best place to live in. There are thousands of farmers and the younger sons of country gentlemen who would thrive in this State. To reach these classes, no system of government immigration agency will suffice. What we want is to combine our English settlers and let their practical experience be known. For this purpose the proposed celebration of Queen Victoria's birthday in Richmond will be a great event in its importance to the settlers, but far greater in its event to the dear old home of our adoption.

We all desire to meet and become acquainted with our fellow-settlers, and if anything will bring Englishmen together, the birthday of our Queen will. We ask the press of Virginia, so kind and generous in its treatment of Englishmen, to help us to make it known everywhere in the State, so that none may be absent because of ignorance. Every British settler is invited, and all ought to come.

Yours respectfully,

THOS JONES BEBB,

Hon. Sec'y of the British Com., Chase City, Jan. 21st, 1874.

A COSTLY SONGSTER.—The following execution, issued yesterday, shows that litigation is not one of the least expensive luxuries that can be indulged in:

Mary Alice Hill was possessed of a mockingbird, which she valued at \$10, although the feathered songster was afterwards appraised at half that amount. By some means "birds" escaped, and she finding it in possession, as she thought, of Catharine and Eliza Hollahan, took out a writ of replevin before Justice Webster, which resulted in her procuring the bird after giving security in the person of L. J. Miller. When the replevin came to trial, she was beaten, whereupon she took an appeal to court, retaining possession of the bird. Here she failed to put in an appearance, either personally or by counsel, and the judgment being affirmed, an execution was issued yesterday for the return of the bird to the Hollahans and for the recovery of the court fees, which alone amounted to \$16 15, independent of expenses incurred in the Justice's court below.—Washington Chronicle.

Special Notice!

We have a fine stock of BOYS' YOUTHS' AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS of superior quality, which will be sold at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES, in order to reduce stock. All in want will do it to their interest to examine our stock before purchasing.

W. B. WADDEY,

74 King street.

We have just received a very fine assortment of GENTLEMEN'S FINE TOILET SLIPPERS, suitable for holiday presents.

WADDEY'S,

74 King street.

Goods Almost Given Away!!

Immense stock of

CLOTHING,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS AND HATS AND TRUNKS,

composed of the very finest in the market, will be CLOSED OUT WITHOUT RESERVE

during this season, in order to wind up business. As our goods will be sacrificed, customers will do well to call early at SAREPTA CLOTHING HALL, 89 King street.

I. SCHWARTZ & CO.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers.

We are this day receiving a full line of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers, suitable for Fall and Winter, embracing all of the latest styles, which we confidently believe to be the very best stock. We solicit purchasers to call and examine for themselves, as they will be sold at low prices.

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GENTS' EXTRA FINE BOOTS & SHOES.

We have just received a fresh supply of Gents' extra fine, hand-sewed Boots and Shoes, and Slippers of every description, which are unhesitatingly recommended to be the very best on sale in the city.

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FOURTH GRAND GIFT CONCERT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE

Public Library of Kentucky.

OVER A MILLION IN BANK.

SUCCESS ASSURED.

A FULL DRAWING CERTAIN.

On Tuesday, 31st of March next.

In order to meet the general wish and expectation of the public and the ticket-holders, for the full payment of the magnificent gifts, announced for the Fourth Grand Gift Concert of the Public Library of Kentucky, the management have determined to postpone the Concert and Drawing until

TUESDAY, the 31st of March, 1874.

They have already realized

OVER A MILLION DOLLARS,

and have a great many agents yet to hear from.

No doubt is entertained of the sale of every ticket before the drawing, but whether all are sold or not the Concert and Drawing will positively and unequivocally take place on the day now fixed, and if any remain unsold they will be cancelled and the prizes will be reduced in proportion to the unsold tickets.

Only 60,000 tickets have been issued and 12,000 CASH GIFTS (\$1,500,000) will be distributed among the ticket-holders.

The tickets are printed in coupons, of tenths, and all fractional parts will be represented in the drawing just as whole tickets are.

LIST OF GIFTS.

ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....\$250,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....100,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....50,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....25,000
ONE GRAND CASH GIFT.....15,000

10 CASH GIFTS \$10,000 each.....100,000
30 CASH GIFTS 5,000 each.....150,000
50 CASH GIFTS 1,000 each.....50,000
80 CASH GIFTS 500 each.....40,000
100 CASH GIFTS 400 each.....40,000
150 CASH GIFTS 300 each.....45,000
250 CASH GIFTS 200 each.....50,000
325 CASH GIFTS 100 each.....32,500
11,000 CASH GIFTS 50 each.....550,000

TOTAL 12,000 GIFTS, ALL CASH, AMOUNTING TO.....\$1,500,000

The chances for a gift are as one to five.

PRIZE OF TICKETS.

Whole tickets, \$50; Halves, \$25; Tenths, each coupon, \$5; Eleven Whole Tickets for \$500; 224 Tickets for \$1,000; 113 Whole Tickets for \$5,000; 227 Whole Tickets for \$10,000. No discount on less than \$500 worth of Tickets.

The Fourth Gift Concert will be conducted, in all respects, like the three which have already been given, and will particularly may be learned from circulars which will be sent free from this office to all who apply for them.

Orders for tickets and applications for agencies will be attended to in the order they are received, and it is hoped they will be promptly filled, and no disappointment or delay in filling all. Liberal terms given to those who buy to sell again. All agents are peremptorily required to settle up their accounts and return all unsold tickets by the 20th day of March.

Agent Public Kentucky, and Manager, Gift Concert, Public Library Building, Louisville, Kentucky.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA: At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 5th day of January, 1874: Robert M. Minor, plaintiff, against Robert M. Lawson, adm'r. d. b. n. c. t. a. of John Lawson, deceased; Robert Brewis, Wm. Brewis, James Brewis Davidson, John Smith and Mary, his wife; Thomas Davidson, Joseph Henry Taylor and Margaret, his wife; Jane Davidson and Elizabeth Davidson, defendants. In chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of a lot of ground and brick house thereon on the north side of Cameron street, between Prince and Duke streets, and a lot of ground and brick house thereon on the north side of Prince street, between Henry and Isabella streets, and for an application of the proceeds of sale to the satisfaction of a judgment obtained by the plaintiff against the said R. M. Lawson, adm'r. d. b. n. c. t. a. of John Lawson, dec'd. for the sum of \$1800, with interest from January 6, 1849, till paid, and \$9.10 costs.

The defendants, Robert Brewis, Wm. Brewis, James Brewis Davidson, John Smith and Mary, his wife; Thomas Davidson, Joseph Henry Taylor and Margaret, his wife; Jane Davidson and Elizabeth Davidson, having entered their appearance and given security according to the rules of this Court, and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy, test:

MORTON MARYE, Clerk.

Jno. M. Johnson, p. q. Jan 12-w4w

VIRGINIA: At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 5th day of January, 1874: Robert M. Minor, plaintiff, and Albert G. Minor, Cassius F. Lee, Sarah Ann Newton, Nicholas Lemon and Catharine A. Lemon, his wife; Elizabeth Minor, James S. Wood and Mary F. Wood, his wife; Marietta Minor, Cornelia Minor, Mary Jane Minor and Elizabeth M. Minor, defendants. In chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of a lot of ground and brick house thereon on the southeast corner of Prince and Henry streets, in the city of Alexandria.

The defendants, Sarah Ann Newton, Nicholas Lemon and Catharine A. Lemon, his wife; Elizabeth Minor, James S. Wood and Mary F. Wood, his wife; Marietta Minor, Cornelia Minor, Mary Jane Minor and Elizabeth M. Minor, nor, Mary Jane Minor and Elizabeth M. Minor, nor, having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy, test:

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The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of a house and lot of ground on the north side of the first street laid off north of Montgomery street and parallel thereto, at a point distant 10 feet 11 inches west from Royal street, running thence west with said first street 15 feet 5 inches; then north parallel to Royal street 95 feet to an alley 14 feet wide; then east with said alley and parallel to said first street 15 feet 5 inches, and thence south by a straight line to the beginning.

The defendant, Bartram G. Steinrock, not having entered his appearance and given security, according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy, test:

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The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant the sum of \$67.53, with interest thereon from the 25th day of June, 1862, till paid, and attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate within the city of Alexandria.

The defendant not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly, and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy, test:

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The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant the sum of \$67, with interest thereon from the 28th day of July, 1861, till paid, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate of the defendant within the city of Alexandria.

The defendant not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy, test:

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(finely ground),

always on hand at my Mill, on Princess street, near Washington and Ohio Railroad depot.

Those wanting a good article of GROUND PLASTER should call on or address letter to

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